# EXHIBIT 18

# **(C)** Courts & Judges Comparator

Showing comparison between District of Massachusetts and Eastern District of Texas, for all federal district court cases pending between 2009-01-01 and 2024-09-04. Change

## **Open Cases**

	D.Mass.	E.D.Tex.
Open federal district court cases ?	5,691	2,585

#### **Terminated Cases**

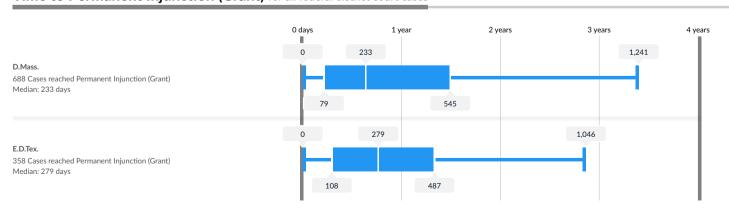
	D.Mass.	E.D.Tex.
Terminated federal district court cases ?	40,901	34,334

## Case Filings for all federal district court cases



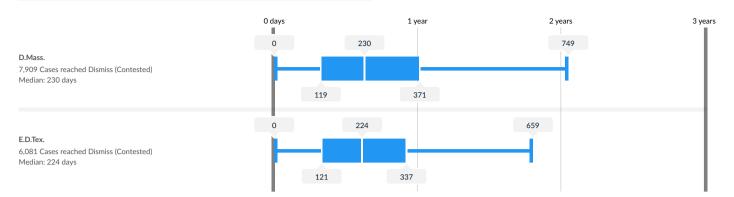
\* 2024 numbers are year-to-date. Open dots are full-year estimates.

## Time to Permanent Injunction (Grant) for all federal district court cases

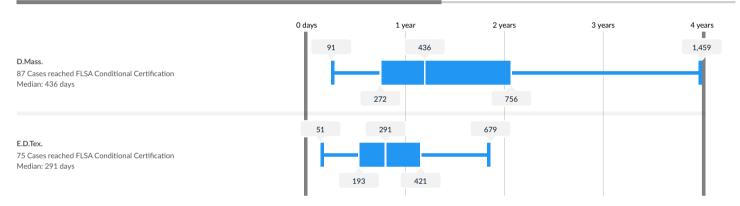


Remaining Federal cases are not included.

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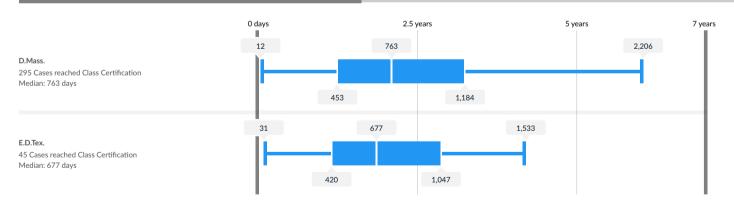


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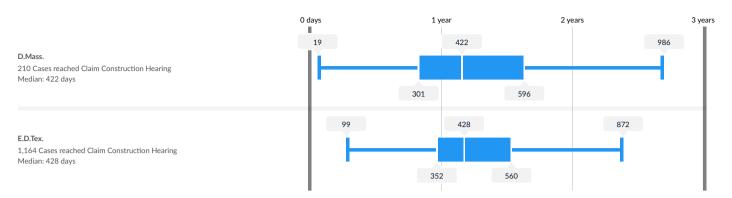
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# Time to Class Certification for all federal district court cases



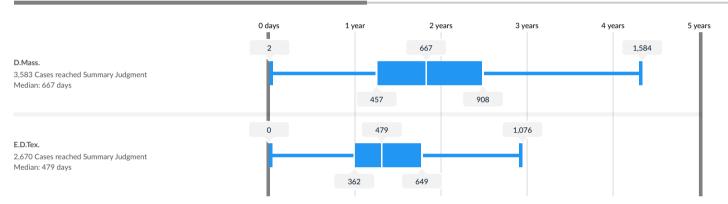
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## Time to Claim Construction Hearing for all federal district court cases

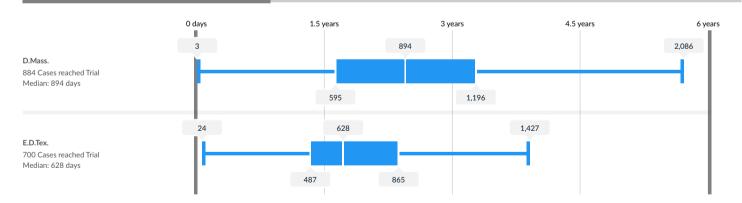


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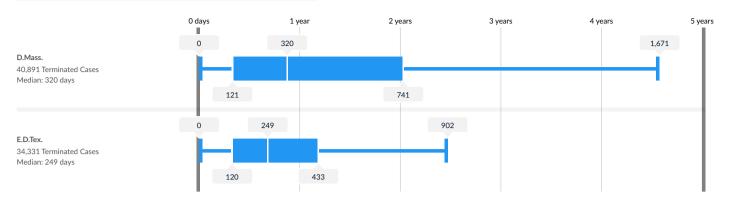
## Time to Summary Judgment for all federal district court cases



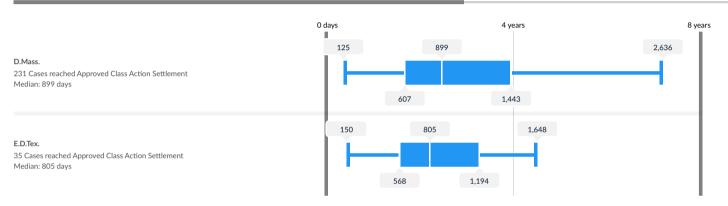
#### Time to Trial for all federal district court cases



## Time to Termination for all federal district court cases



## Time to Approved Class Action Settlement for all federal district court cases



## Case Resolutions for all federal district court cases

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Cases with Claimant Win Resolutions	2,364	(7%)	1,015	(3%)
Cases with Claim Defendant Win Resolutions	2,201	(7%)	1,408	(5%)
Cases with Likely Settlement Resolutions	16,222 (5	50%)	22,861	(75%)
Cases with Procedural Resolutions	11,551 (3	36%)	5,035	(17%)
Total Cases with Resolutions	32,338 (10	00%)	30,319	(100%)

Remaining Federal cases are not included in Case Resolutions Analytics.



**Damages** for all federal district court cases

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	D.Mass.		E.D.Tex.	
	Cases	Damages	Cases	Damages
Attorneys' Fees / Costs	1,027	\$63,236,319	535	\$75,400,446
Other / Mixed Damage Types	100	\$24,181,411	43	\$79,471,677
Prejudgment Interest	370	\$218,669,882	122	\$216,099,650
Enhanced Damages (Patent)	2	\$1,591,395	17	\$315,290,431
Reasonable Royalty	13	\$104,170,516	103	\$4,885,554,758
Lost Profits (Patent)	3	\$183,902,000	19	\$495,594,806
Mass Counterfeiter Default Damages	3	N/A	2	N/A
Statutory Damages (Trademark)	23	\$24,995,069	16	\$12,615,428
Actual Damages / Infringer's Profits (Trademark)	10	\$30,532,678	5	\$2,889,910
Enhanced Damages (Trademark)	3	\$4,642,798	-	\$0
Statutory Damages (Copyright)	47	\$4,036,387	10	\$1,378,000
Actual Damages / Infringer's Profits (Copyright)	1	\$39,003	2	\$2,392,157
Antitrust Violation Damages	-	\$0	2	\$45,003,294
Enhanced Damages (Antitrust)	-	\$0	1	\$2,400,000
Disgorgement (Securities)	102	\$705,815,349	25	\$101,499,604
SEC / CFTC Penalties	86	\$275,742,748	23	\$35,920,293
Other Securities Damages	2	\$2,026,594	4	\$84,589,581
Shareholder Derivative Settlement	6	\$3,230,000	-	\$0
Punitive Damages (Bankruptcy)	1	\$770,000	-	\$0
Actual Damages (Bankruptcy)	3	\$1,744,751	-	\$0
Other Bankruptcy Damages	-	\$0	-	\$0
State Statutory Penalties (Employment)	-	\$0	_	\$0
Enhanced Damages (Employment)	-	\$0	-	\$0
Liquidated Damages (Employment)	46	\$8,521,292	26	\$701,245
Other Compensatory Damages (Employment)	17	\$8,848,316	23	\$2,004,179
Punitive Damages (Employment)	20	\$13,489,842	6	\$41,098,000
Collective Action Settlement	54	\$396,707,528	25	\$23,902,646
Front Pay	5	\$3,488,532	2	\$38,937
Backpay	80	\$22,864,403	48	\$3,422,326
Civil Money Penalties (Employment)	25	\$1,562,913	1	\$222,200
Emotional Distress	13	\$9,199,222	11	\$36,591,700
EEOC Class Settlement	2	\$12,250,000	3	\$4,250,000
Other Product Liability Damages	-	\$0	1	\$140,700
Personal Injury: Economic	2	\$6,482,668	2	\$4,610,553
Personal Injury: Non-Economic	2	\$3,500,000	2	\$3,600,000

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		D.Mass.		E.D.Tex.
	Cases	Damages	Cases	Damages
Personal Injury: Unspecified	3	\$6,905,942	2	\$5,079,086
Property Damages	-	\$0	1	\$135,000
Punitive Damages (Product Liability)	1	\$6,200,000	_	\$0
Reasonable Royalty (Trade Secret)	1	\$70,000,000	1	\$4,295,760
Punitive / Willfulness Damages	1	\$21,000,000	3	\$108,492,000
Actual Damages / Lost Profits	7	\$3,438,091	5	\$34,355,298
Contract Damages (Insurance)	15	\$14,076,796	10	\$8,872,550
Tort Damages	-	\$0	1	\$579,273
Emotional Distress Damages (Insurance)	-	\$0	1	\$7,500
Punitive Damages (Insurance)	-	\$0	1	\$6,378
Restitution (Insurance)	2	\$1,288,483	1	\$1,564,334
Enhanced Damages (Insurance)	2	\$5,682,055	-	\$0
Liquidated Damages (ERISA)	330	\$10,329,961	2	\$16,044
Restitution (ERISA)	12	\$746,530	4	\$213,231
Interest on Unpaid Contributions	355	\$8,875,794	2	\$20,647
Disclosure Penalties	1	\$5,000	-	\$0
ERISA Plan Benefits	388	\$56,595,420	7	\$294,918
Administrative Fees	47	\$141,301	_	\$0
Civil Money Penalties (ERISA)	3	\$12,835	_	\$0
Disgorgement (ERISA)	3	\$124,219	_	\$0
Tort Compensatory Damages (Contracts)	18	\$27,562,762	12	\$15,151,778
Liquidated Damages (Contracts)	2	\$404,362	_	\$0
Punitive Damages (Contracts)	1	\$162,000	9	\$14,709,926
Contract Damages (Contracts)	336	\$502,187,995	129	\$169,559,233
Enhanced Damages (Contracts)	11	\$10,186,055	1	\$514,118
Restitution (Contracts)	10	\$6,144,716	_	\$0
Tax / Penalty Assessed	124	\$62,153,330	36	\$60,840,653
Refund	6	\$110,538,246	2	\$1,167,943
Survivor Expenses	2	\$23,386	-	\$0
Medical Expenses (Torts)	11	\$2,393,343	26	\$2,906,762
Loss of Support	-	\$0	1	\$30,000
Loss of Consortium (Torts)	5	\$7,381,250	4	\$1,416,750
General Compensatory Damages	30	\$48,684,553	16	\$18,599,000
Pain and Suffering (Torts)	14	\$9,166,520	28	\$10,367,778
Punitive Damages (Torts)	2	\$825,000	3	\$3,275,000
Lost Wages (Torts)	8	\$2,493,274	13	\$2,303,862

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		D.Mass.		E.D.Tex.	
	Cases	Damages	Cases	Damages	
Environmental Project / Mitigation Fund	80	\$6,332,400	2	\$1,213,000	
Civil Money Penalties (Environmental)	51	\$17,732,981	9	\$6,332,200	
Punitive Damages (Environmental)	-	\$0	-	\$0	
CERCLA Cost Recovery / Contribution	15	\$78,033,302	3	\$3,126,711	
Natural Resource Damages / Assessment Costs	8	\$32,890,248	1	\$198,853	
Statutory Damages (Consumer Protection)	33	\$77,091	33	\$155,100	
Restitution (Consumer Protection)	6	\$124,722,748	5	\$173,726,000	
Settled Claim Damages (Consumer Protection)	12	\$105,672	10	\$45,106	
Civil Money Penalties (Consumer Protection)	5	\$19,447,034	3	\$2,842,000	
Compensatory Damages (Consumer Protection)	14	\$304,477,252	4	\$18,680	
Punitive Damages (Consumer Protection)	-	\$0	1	\$3,000	
Enhanced / Trebled Damages	7	\$274,556	6	\$88,000	
Nominal Damages (Civil Rights)	1	\$1	_	\$0	
State Statutory Damages (Civil Rights)	-	\$0	_	\$0	
Civil Penalties (Civil Rights)	1	\$35,000	-	\$0	
Compensatory Damages (Civil Rights)	31	\$50,779,629	7	\$6,951,666	
Punitive Damages (Civil Rights)	6	\$3,506,200	3	\$16,015,000	
Restitution (False Claims)	-	\$0	_	\$0	
Relator Share	-	\$0	2	\$277,240	
Actual Damages (False Claims)	1	\$4,563,328	6	\$289,335	
Civil Penalties (False Claims)	2	\$174,000	2	\$1,033,240	
Back Pay	1	\$762,525	_	\$0	
Settled Claim Damages (False Claims)	-	\$0	3	\$4,072,356	
Treble Damages	2	\$9,128,356	2	\$313,772	
Special Damages (False Claims)	-	\$0	_	\$0	
Tort Compensatory Damages (Surety Bond)	1	\$490,935	_	\$0	
Contract Damages (Surety Bond)	23	\$60,287,855	7	\$3,490,720	
Punitive Damages (Internet)	-	\$0	_	\$0	
Actual Damages / Disgorgement	2	\$367,100	1	\$218,913	
Statutory Damages (Internet)	4	\$835,000	3	\$30,000	
Contract Damages (Real Property)	35	\$35,407,671	23	\$7,301,035	
Compensatory Damages (Real Property)	3	\$110,721	3	\$904,128	
Nominal Damages (Real Property)	-	\$0	-	\$0	
Punitive Damages (Real Property)	-	\$0	1	\$1,500	
Restitution (Real Property)	1	\$15,975	1	\$20,000	
Special Damages (Real Property)	-	\$0	_	\$0	

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		D.Mass.		E.D.Tex.	
	Cases	Damages	Cases	Damages	
Just Compensation	1	\$58,100	8	\$273,474	
Settled Claim Damages (Real Property)	-	\$0	1	\$20,000	
Approved Class Action Settlement (Class Action)	231	\$3,170,021,103	34	\$336,409,621	

Remaining Federal cases are not included in Damages Analytics.

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#### Remedies for all federal district court cases

	D.Mass.	E.D.Tex.
Permanent Injunction: Grant	657	343
Preliminary Injunction: Grant	369	108
Temporary Restraining Order: Grant	202	67
Permanent Injunction: Deny	21	17
Preliminary Injunction: Deny	255	59
Temporary Restraining Order: Deny	100	62
Rescission	14	3
Reformation	2	1
Administrative Remand	37	-
Reinstatement	5	2
Specific Performance	13	4
Divestiture	-	-
Recovery of Property	1	-
Replevin	7	1
Promotion	1	-
Relinquish Domain Name	23	11
Cancellation of Registration	4	1
Appointment of Independent Fiduciary	22	-
Bond for Future Contributions	-	-
Plan Audit	45	-
Security Bond / Performance Guarantee	7	-
Compliance / Remediation Plan	94	9
TILA Rescission	-	-
ADA Remediation	38	5
Non-ADA Remediation	9	4
Quia Timet	-	-
Exoneration	-	-
Quia Timet / Exoneration	2	-
Reformation (Real Property)	11	2
Rescission (Real Property)	2	3

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<sup>\*</sup> For judge comparisons, case counts reflect cases in which the judge was associated with the case, per the official PACER record. Occasionally, multiple judges are associated with a single case, so some of the Case Resolutions, Damages, Remedies, or Findings in the analytics above may have resulted from orders issued by a judge other than the one shown.

<sup>\*</sup> To reflect the most current outcomes, these analytics do not include Damages, Remedies, or Findings that were voided or reversed. Learn more.